

7. Sages, leaders of rites, desirous of sustenance,
purify thee who art the giver of food, with pious
rites for the offering.

8. Pour forth the stream of the sweet beverage *
sit down, sharp-flavoured in the receptacle, alert
for drinking at the sacrifice.

SUETA XTIIL (XYIII.)
Rishi, deity and metre as
before.

in. 1. Effused while pressed between the stones, tlie
Soma flows upon the straining cloth;
thou art the
giver of all things to those who praise thee.²

9. ³Thou art wise, thou art a seer; thou bestowest
the sweet (beverage) produced from the *Soma* plant,
thou art the giver of all things to those who praise
thee.

10. ⁴All the gods together
pleased enjoy thy
drinking; thou art the giver of all things to
those
who praise thee.

11. (Thou art he) who places in the hands (of the
worshipper) all desirable riches; thou art the giver
of all things to those who praise thee.

5. (Thou art he) who milks this great
heaven
and earth like two mothers; thou art
the giver of
all things to those who praise thee.

¹ Sama Yeda, L 5. 2. 4. 9; II. 4. 1. 17. 1.

- Bather as Eentey takes it, "in deinein Meth triigst du das AIL"

³ Sama Teda, II. 4.1. 17. 2.
II. 4. 1. 17. S.

* Sama Teda,